Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai: For getting down the giraffes.

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: The price of the giraffes is £ 500. Perhaps the honourable members are aware, that the giraffes died on the way. Because they were insured, Government will get back the amount. Some little expenditure has been incurred for the arrangements made for transport. Government have not yet received the final bill and so I cannot say at present the actual amount spent on that account.

Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai: May I know whether, under the agreement, the Company undertook to deliver these animals at Trivandrum or at Bombay?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: Their undertaking was to deliver them only at the port and not at Trivandrum.

Mr. M. N. Paramesvaran Pillai: So who is to meet the price of these animals?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: Government.

President: If delivered alive, Government.

Mr. M. N. Narayana Menon (*Kottayam*): അവർ ഇൻഷ്വർ ചെയ്തിരുന്നോ? ഗവൺമെൻറിന് എന്തെങ്കിലും ചിലവായിട്ടുണ്ടോ?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: ഗവൺമെൻറിന് ഒരു ചിലവും ഇല്ല.

Mr. H. O. L. Marikar (*Minachil* cum *Devicolam*): What is the amount of insurance?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: £ 500.

Mr. H. O. L. Marikar: May I know the amount of premium paid?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: I have no information. The animals were insured by the gentleman who supplied them.

Shorthand Reporters of the Legislature.

63. ***Mr. K. P. Nilakanta Pillai** (*Chirayinkil* cum *Nedumangad*): Will the Government be pleased to state the names of the persons who are engaged or permanently employed as Shorthand Reporters for the Houses of the Legislature while in session, their qualifications, both general and technical, and the amount of their salary per mensem and other allowances?

Rao Sahib Dr. N. Kunjan Pillai: A statement *containing the information is laid on the table.

* *Vide* Appendix I at page 444.

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Appendix I.

***Vide* answer to question No. 63.**

Statement showing the names, qualifications, and pay of the shorthand reporters of the Legislature

No.	Permanent.	Qualifications.	Salary Rs.
1	S. Govindasvamy Aiyar, B. A., B L.	Shorthand Test Higher (Madras) ...	100
2	T. S. Kamesvara Sarma, B. A., B. L.	Do. Advanced (Madras) ...	80
3	K. Mahadeva Aiyar, (on leave).	S. S. L. C., Shorthand Higher (Madras) ...	70
4	S. Ramasubrhamanya Aiyar.	S. S. L. C., Short hand Intermediate. (Madras) Type-writing (Elementary) ...	65
5	S. Simon.	S. S. L. C., Shorthand Lower (Madras) and Higher (London Chamber of Commerce) Type-writing (Elementary) ...	45
6	S. Padmanabha Aiyar, (Malayalam Reporter).	V. S. L. C. Vernacular Short-hand Higher (Madras) ...	70
	TEMPORARY.		
1	P. Suryanarayana Aiyar, B. A.	Shorthand Lower (Madras), Type-writing (Lower) ...	40
2	V. Krishna Pillai, (Temporary Malayalam Reporter.)	V. S. L. C., Vernacular Shorthand Higher (Madras) ...	40
3	C. K. Gopala Panickar (Temporary Shorthand Reporter).	Shorthand Higher (London Chamber of Commerce). Type-writing (Higher) ...	40

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